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Applicant: Gay

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Honorable Commissioner of Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT FOR PURPOSES OF CALCULATING FILING FEES

Please amend the claims of the above referenced application
as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims
which being on page 2 of this amendment.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this amendment.